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THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF THE
Louisville Free Public Library

request the honor of your presence
at the opening of the new
building for the

PORTLAND BRANCH LIBRARY

Western Parkway and Thirty-third Street

Friday Evening, October Twenty-fourth.

Eight o'clock

1913

This building will be open for inspection Saturday, October 25,
from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.

Children's exercises will be conducted Saturday, October 25, at
3 p. m.

Circulation of books will begin in the new building Monday,
October 27, at 2 p. m.

LIBRARY HOURS
2 to 9 p. m.

HOSTS

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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PROGRAM

Friday Evening, October 24, at 8 o'clock

Chairman - - - Mayor W. O. Head

Invocation - - - Rev. J. D. Sigler

Remarks - - - Gen. Bennett H. Young

Music

Address - - - Dr. E. Y. Mullins

Music

Delivering the Keys of the Library - Mr. E. J. O'Brien

Music

Remarks - - - Prof. W. H. Bartholomew

Benediction - - - Rev. W. P. Rilling

Music

RECEPTION COMMITTEE

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Miss Isabel Skene

CHILDREN'S DAY

PROGRAM

Saturday Afternoon, October 25, at 3 o'clock

Chairman	Mr. Thos. A. Barker
Invocation	Rev. A. G. Alderman
Chorus "Patriotic Medley"	Atkinson School
Directed by Miss Lillie Schmidt	
Remarks	Dr. Chas. R. Hemphill
Folk Dance "Hop, Mother Annika"	Portland School
Directed by Miss Clara Schmidt	
Story	Miss Elizabeth Klein
Chorus "Where the Sweet Kentucky Flows"	St. Cecilia School
Directed by Sister Christiana	
Address	Dr. E. L. Powell
Chorus "I Once Had a Sweet Little Doll"	Montgomery School
Directed by Miss Ada Bache	
Pantomime "Star Spangled Banner"	St. Cecilia School
Directed by Sister Christiana	
Folk Dance "German Clap"	Montgomery School
Directed by Miss Margaret Dean	
Chorus "Love's Old Sweet Song"	Atkinson School
Directed by Miss Lillie Schmidt	
Folk Dance "London Bridge"	Portland School
Directed by Miss Clara Schmidt	
Chorus "Santa Lucia"	Atkinson School
Directed by Miss Lillie Schmidt	
Benediction	Rev. Paul H. Moore

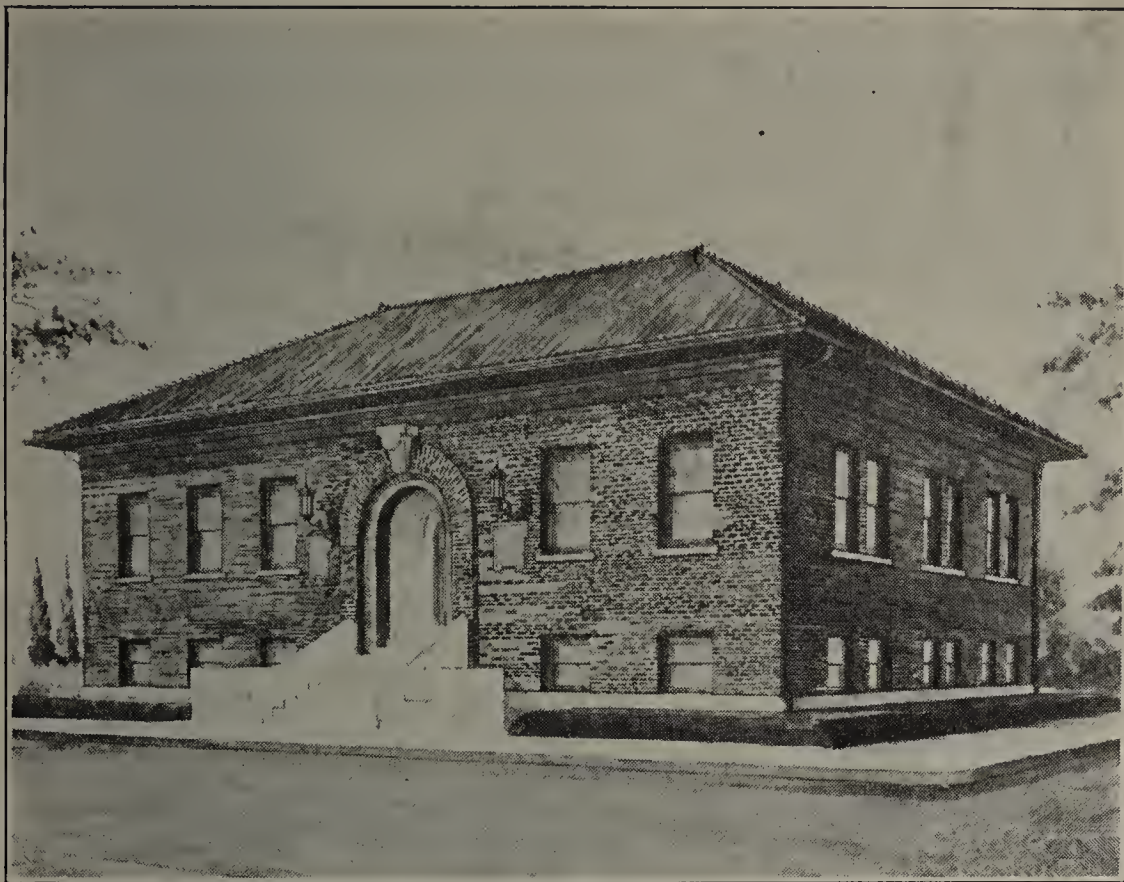
RECEPTION COMMITTEE

Miss Bernice W. Bell	Miss Ada K. Sievers
Miss Jennie Clark	Sister Christiana
Miss L. E. Levi	Mrs. A. S. Coleman
Miss Anna Giles Greenaway	

USHERS

Paul Rusch	Margaret Dawson
John Moreman	Margaret Dalrymple
Ross Jewel	Adele Michot
Paul Greenaway	Mildred Guernsey
Harvey Cardwell	Clara Deitsch

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THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

of the

Louisville Free Public Library

request the honor of your presence
at the opening of the

Eastern Colored Branch Library

Corner Hancock and Lampton Streets

JANUARY 28, 29, 30
at Eight o'clock

CHILDREN'S EXERCISES, SATURDAY, JANUARY 31
at Two-thirty o'clock

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Hosts

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Program

Wednesday Evening, January 28
at Eight o'clock

"The Public Library for the People"

Mayor John H. Buschemeyer, *Chairman*

Invocation . . . Rev. Constantine Schaaf, *Pastor St. Peter Claver's Church*
Remarks Mr. W. O. Head

Music

Address Dr. C. R. Hemphill
Delivering the Keys Mr. E. J. O'Brien

Music

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Music

Remarks

Dr. E. L. Powell	Dr. E. Y. Mullins
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Mr. Thomas A. Barker	Mr. John J. Davis

Benediction Rev. John Little, *Pastor Presbyterian Missions*

Reception Committee

T. F. BLUE, Branch Librarian	
MRS. RACHEL D. HARRIS	MRS. LILLIE S. EDWARDS
MISS ELIZABETH I. FINNEY	MISS JANE J. SIMPSON
MISS SUSIE R. WILLIAMS	MRS. LIZZIE B. EVANS

Program

Thursday Evening, January 29

at Eight o'clock

“The Public Library as an Educational Factor”

A. E. Meyzeek, *Principal Eastern Colored and Normal Schools,*
Chairman

Invocation.....Rev. G. W. Ward, *Pastor Beargrass Baptist Church*

Address.....S. B. Taylor, *Principal Frederick Douglass School*

Music

Normal School and Glee Club

Director: Miss Mildred Bryant, *Assistant Supervisor of Music*

Greetings from West of Fourth Avenue $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{W. B. Matthews, } \textit{Principal} \\ \text{Central Colored High School} \\ \text{W. H. Perry, } \textit{Principal West-} \\ \text{ern Colored School} \end{array} \right.$

Response. . . . Mrs. N. L. Payne, *Principal Benjamin Bannecker School*

Music

Remarks

W. S. Peyton, *Principal Lincoln School*

T. F. Blue, *Librarian Colored Branch Libraries*

J. B. Colbert, *Editor The Columbian*

Lee L. Brown, *Editor The Louisville News*

Music

Benediction . . . Rev. E. H. Allen, *Pastor Hancock Street Christian Church*

Reception Committee

MISS LILLIAN B. KENZER
MISS JOSEPHINE VAN DYKE
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MISS EVA P. CALBERT

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MISS GEORGIA A. NUGENT
MISS GOLDIE G. HAMMOND
MISS JENNIE KENNEDY

Program

Friday Evening, January 30
at Eight o'clock

"The Public Library as a Moral Factor"

Rev. R. F. Broadus, *Pastor Jackson Street M. E. Church,*
Chairman

Invocation Rev. John Fisher, *Pastor Little Flock Baptist Church*
Address . . Rev. W. H. Sheppard, *Pastor Hancock St. Presbyterian Church*

Music

Normal School and Glee Club
Director: Miss Mildred Bryant, *Assistant Supervisor of Music*

Greetings from West of Fourth Avenue { Rev. C. H. Parrish, *Pastor*
Calvary Baptist Church
Rev. E. A. Clarke, *Pastor*
Quinn's A. M. E. Chapel

Response Rev. J. H. Ross, *Pastor Coke M. E. Church*

Music

Address Rev. H. C. Weeden, *representing Site Committee*

Remarks

Rev. W. H. Jones, *Pastor Green Street Baptist Church*
Rev. R. B. Hendricks, *Pastor Jacob Street Tabernacle*
W. H. Steward, *Editor American Baptist*
R. T. Berry, *Editor Kentucky Reporter*

Music

Benediction Rev. J. W. Caldwell, *Pastor Trinity A. M. E. Church*

Reception Committee

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MRS. S. B. TAYLOR
MR. BASIL L. PIERCE

Program

Saturday Afternoon, January 31
at Two-thirty o'clock

"The Public Library for the Children"

Under the direction of Miss Bernice W. Bell, *Head of Children's
Department*

George T. Settle, *Chairman*

Invocation . . . Rev. Leroy Ferguson, *Rector Church of Our Merciful Saviour*

Chorus—"America" Directed by Miss Mildred Bryant

Recitations:

"Education the Result of Personal Work" . . John White, Jr.,
Douglass School

"Selection from Dunbar" Etta Logan, *Lincoln School*

Minuet Dance Bannecker School, Primary Department

Recitations:

"Papa's Letter" Wilhelmina Cecil, *St. Peter Claver's School*

"Books" Clarence Hinkle, *Eastern School*

Song Pupils of St. Peter Claver's School

Recitation—"Builders" Ida Brisentine, *Eastern School*

Dialogue—"The Gossip" Lincoln School, Grade Five

"Jester's Dance" Bannecker School, Grammar Grades

Physical Culture Exercise Douglass School

Story—"Wonderful Tar Baby" . . Joseph S. Cotter, *Principal S. Cole-
ridge Taylor School*

Chorus—"Star-Spangled Banner" School Children

Benediction Rev. C. B. Smiley, *Pastor Hill Street Baptist Church*

Saturday afternoon the building is reserved exclusively
for school children.

The following expressions are selected from letters written by patrons of the Colored Branch Library:

"The Eastern Colored Branch Library, as an uplifting agency, is the one best hope of our people in that section of the city."

A. E. Meyzeek.

"The new branch library in the East End will be a great help to the people in this section."

W. S. Peyton.

"The citizens in this part of the city are elated over the generous gift and promise to see to it that they and their children take full advantage of the opportunity which it affords."

S. B. Taylor.

"We express gratitude to the Library Board for the erection of the Eastern Colored Branch Library."

Basil L. Pierce.

"The library will be a potent factor in the religious, civic, and home life of our people."

Robt. B. Scott.

"Its influence will be far-reaching in the betterment of the race."

W. T. Merchant.

"The opening of the second colored library is a realization of our fondest hope."

A. C. McIntyre.

"Our white friends could do us no greater service than build us a library."

H. W. Jones.

"Among the many blessings that have come to our race there is none greater than the opening of the Eastern Colored Branch."

J. H. Ross.

"We of the East End can but feebly express our appreciation."

R. F. Broadus.

"We believe that the branch library established in the East End for the colored people will prove a potent factor for preventing crime and reducing illiteracy."

P. M. Flack.

"We realize that this is an invaluable boon to our youth."

Mrs. Nora L. Payne.

"We feel sure it will be of great benefit to our people in all walks of life."

W. H. Sheppard.

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Library Hours

The Western Branch is open from 10 a. m. to 9 p. m. and the Eastern Branch from 2 to 9 p. m. daily. Both branches are open from 2 to 9 p. m. on Sundays and holidays.

Sunday opening is for reading and reference only.

The building will be open for inspection Thursday, Friday and Sunday, January 29 and 30 and February 1, from 2 to 6 p. m., and Saturday, January 31, from 9 a. m. to 12 o'clock noon.

Circulation of books will begin Monday, February 2.